SENATOR HARTNETT: Mr. President, members of the body, I simply would like to lay this bill, LB 632, over at this time. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Okay, the bill is automatically laid over then. Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: Mr. President, new bills. LB 969, offered by Senator Peterson. LB 970 is a bill offered by Senators Wehrbein and Baack. LB 971, offered by the General Affairs Committee and signed by its members. LB 972 is offered by Senators Haberman, Conway, Goodrich, Bernard-Stevens, Johanns, Schmit, Hefner, Remmers, Elmer, Rogers, Schellpeper, Miller, Coordsen, Dierks, Lamb, Rod Johnson, Weihing, Labedz, Beyer, Campbell, Wehrbein, Baack, Moore, Peterson, Lynch and Higgins. LB 973 is offered by Senator Johanns. (Read all bills by title for the first time. See pages 187-88 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, in addition to that, I have a new resolution, LR 257 offered by Senators Peterson and Hefner. resolution. See pages 188-90 of the Journal.) That is all that I have at this time, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: I understand that Senator Schmit is on his way, and there he is. What we might do, Senator Schmit, if it is agreeable with you, is have you explain what you want to explain to us about the bill. We understand you are working under duress and so forth, but if you would, then we'd take our lunch break and come back and go with it some more, if that is agreeable with you. That way it would give the personnel some time to handle their business in the offices.

SENATOR SCHMIT: All right.

PRESIDENT: Pardon me.

SENATOR SCHMIT: 703, okay. It helps a little bit to know the bill you're talking about.

PRESIDENT: 703, yes, 703.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Sometimes it doesn't make any difference, but in this case it does.

PRESIDENT: All right. Mr. Clerk, do you have anything to say